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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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11 STEVEN M. LACERDA,

12 Petitioner,

13 v.

14 MICHAEL MARTEL, Warden,

15 Respondent.
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No. C 12-00588 EJD (PR)

ORDER DENYING MOTIONS FOR
DEFAULT JUDGMENT

(Docket Nos. 22 & 24)

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18 Petitioner, a California inmate proceeding pro se, filed a petition for a writ of
19 habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. On May 2, 2013, the Court ordered the
20 Respondent to show cause why the petition should not be granted within sixty days of
21 the order. (See Docket No. 14.) On November 18, 2013, Plaintiff filed a motion for
22 default judgment against Respondent because Respondent had not filed an answer to the
23 order to show cause. (Docket No. 22.) On November 22, 2013, the Court granted
24 Respondent's third motion for an extension of time in which to file a response to the
25 order to show cause. (Docket No. 23.) On November 25, 2013, Petitioner filed an
26 amended motion for default judgment. (Docket No. 24.)

27 In light of the fact that the Court granted Respondent an extension of time to file
28 a response to the order to show cause until December 30, 2013, Petitioner's motions for

1 default judgment are **DENIED**.

2 This order terminates Docket Nos. 22 and 24.

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4 DATED: _____

12/23/13



EDWARD J. DAVILA
United States District Judge